

AMC Regulation 25-74

Information Management:

**U.S. Army Materiel
Command (AMC)
Publishing Program**

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1. **Purpose.** To prescribe policy and guidance for the operation and management of the AMC Command Publishing Program in accordance with HQDA policy and guidance.

2. **Applicability.** This regulation applies to Headquarters, U.S. Army Materiel Command (HQ AMC), Major Subordinate Commands (MSC)/Life Cycle Management Commands (LCMC) and Separate Reporting Activities (SRAs).

3. **Scope.** The guidance prescribed by this regulation governs the preparation of all official AMC command publications whether prepared by HQ AMC, MSCs, LCMCs, or (SRAs).

4. **Responsibilities.** The proponent is the organizational element responsible for initiating, developing, coordinating, approving content and issuing publications, and identifying them for recession. Each publication has only one proponent. Proponents will assign a Staff Publications Control Officer (SPCO) to ensure that publications are prepared in accordance with overriding HQDA policy and guidance, and the instructions in this regulation.

a. The AMC Chief of Staff will authenticate/sign AMC publications. See appendix D for exceptions.

*This regulation supersedes AMC-R 25-74, 3 June 2004.

b. The proponent/SPCO will:

(1) Review the HQDA documents in the references section of this regulation. These HQDA publications provide essential policy and guidance, and are the foundation for the AMC Command Publishing Program.

(2) Ensure their publications are reviewed at least every two years to determine whether they are still current and valid. Publications that are no longer valid will be superseded by an updated publication, or will be rescinded.

(3) Ensure their publications follow the AMC Publications Process Flow as shown in appendix B.

(4) Ensure their publications are properly staffed before submitting them for publication. Draft AMC publications will be staffed/coordinated with all affected organizations, the Executive Deputy to the Commanding General (EDCG), and Command Counsel.

(5) Maintain the archival records reflecting the coordination of their draft document.

(6) Ensure that appropriate permissions have been obtained if document contains copyrighted material.

(7) Retain an archival record copy of each version of a publication issued in accordance with established records retention policies (reference Records Management document AR 25-400-2).

(8) Submit their publication electronically to the AMC PCO, AMCIO-R, in Microsoft Word, using Times New Roman font, size 12 pt.

(9) Submit AMC Form 356-R-E, AMC Control and Routing Slip, (see appendix A) with their publication package. The AMC Form 356-R-E will be used to control, route, and coordinate all staff actions prior to the draft document being forwarded to AMCIO-R for approval and signature/authentication by the Chief of Staff. The AMC Form 356-R-E will also be used to submit final draft document to AMCIO-R for publication. The AMC Form 356 must state with whom the document was staffed, and that Privacy Act, Reports Control, Copyright, and Forms implications have been considered. If the publication involves creating a new AMC Form, the originating office must include a completed DD Form 67, Form Processing Action Request. The AMC Form 356 must also provide the name, office symbol, electronic signature, and telephone number of all approving officials.

(10) Ensure that local organizational websites that post official publications do so by linking to the AMC Publications and Forms website to ensure the currency of information.

c. AMCIO-R/Publications Control Officer(PCO) and editorial staff will:

(1) Provide policy and guidance to proponents throughout the publishing process.

(2) Assign a publication type, series number, title, and subnumber to draft new official AMC Publications.

(3) Review all final document packages before they are forwarded to Secretary of the General Staff (SGS) for approval.

(4) Perform an editorial review of the final document package, verify publication and form numbers, and forward to SGS for Chief of Staff approval and signature.

(5) Receive approved package from SGS and make any final changes if required. Ensure that final approved publication is indexed, and that the proponent is notified of availability of the official copy of their document on the AMC Publications and Forms website at <http://www.amc.army.mil>.

(6) Ensure that all published documents are compliant with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act. Section 508 requires that all electronic documents meet the following standards:

(a) Federal employees with disabilities will have access to and use of information and data that is comparable to that by Federal employees who are not individuals with disabilities, unless an undue burden would be imposed on the agency.

(b) Individuals with disabilities, who are members of the public seeking information or services from a Federal agency, will have access to and use of information and data that is comparable to that provided to the public who are not individuals with disabilities.

(7) Post approved publications on the AMC Publications and Forms website.

(8) Prepare Publication Notification to be distributed to all MSC-SGS-ALL AMCXO-Personnel.

(9) Conduct a biannual review of all AMC publications and blank forms.

5. Format. All AMC publications will be prepared following the sample formats shown in appendix C. All AMC regulations, pamphlets, memorandums, and AMC supplements to Army regulations will include a cover page and a summary of change page. The summary of change page will summarize the significant changes or new material in the revision of the publication. See appendix C.

a. **Heading:** Headings will consist of the elements indicated in subparagraphs 1 through 4 below.

(1) Name and address of issuing headquarters. The address of AMC will be typed in all caps, and centered at the top of the page, two lines below the publication type and number. See appendix C.

(2) Publication type, series number, title, and subnumber. All AMC administrative publications must be assigned a publication type, series number, title, and subnumber. This number will be inserted in the header, right-aligned, on the first page of each document. The publication number will be repeated throughout the document, with the number being placed in the upper left side of the header of even-numbered pages, and on the upper right side of odd-numbered pages. On a revised document, an asterisk will be placed to the left of the publication number, indicating a supersession footnote. See appendix C.

b. Supersession Notice (if applicable): each superseded or rescinded publication will be listed by number and date in a footnote at the bottom of the first page of the document, preceded by an asterisk.

(1) Title. The title of all AMC publications will consist of the series title, and the publication title. The series title will coincide with the series to which the publication is associated. The publication title will be a concise description of the subject of the publication. See appendix C.

(2) Table of Contents. A table of contents listing each titled segment (chapter, section, paragraph, appendix or glossary) will be prepared for each publication. The table of contents will include the page numbers as well as paragraph numbers. See appendix C.

c. Organizing the text. The organizational outline provided below is appropriate for most publications but should be modified, as required, according to the content of the publication.

(1) Purpose. This paragraph will state the function, scope, and objective for issuing the publication.

(2) Applicability. This paragraph indicates to whom the publication applies.

(3) Scope. This paragraph states the process/activity to which the AMC publication applies.

(4) Explanation of terms and abbreviations. This paragraph will be omitted if a glossary is used. Standard Army terms will be used in accordance with AR 310-25.

(5) Policies. This paragraph will state general broad policies. Its purpose is to explain the reasons for the publication.

(6) Responsibilities. This paragraph will assign responsibilities (e.g., to a titled position such as Chief, Transformation Integration Division/G-3, or Deputy Chief of Staff, Resource Management) beginning with the highest echelon of command.

(7) Procedures. This paragraph prescribes the procedures for carrying out the particular action.

(8) References. This paragraph will be the last paragraph in the publication. If there are more than 10 references, list them in appendix A, and list the pages where the reference is cited. If available, list the Uniform Resource Locator (URL) for each reference. Depending upon the complexity of the publication, sub-sections (e.g., Required Publications, Related Publications, Referenced Forms, and Prescribed Forms) may be included.

(9) Authentication/Signature Page. This page will follow the last page of the text and will consist of the proponent box and approving officials' signature blocks. See appendix C.

(10) Appendixes. Material that further explains or supplements a subject covered in the body of the publication will be included in an appendix. Appendixes will follow the last paragraph of the text and will precede the glossary.

(11) Glossary. A glossary lists and explains abbreviations, terms, and special abbreviations and terms used in the publication. The glossary is located after the last appendix.

(12) Index. An index will be included in any AMC publication that consists of 100 or more pages.

6. **References.** These documents are available at: <http://www.apd.army.mil>

- a. AR 25-30, The Army Publishing Program.
- b. AR 25-400-2, The Army Records Information Management System (ARIMS).
- c. AR 310-25, Dictionary of United States Army Terms
- d. AR 335-15, Management Information Control Program.
- e. AR 340-21, The Army Privacy Program.
- f. DA Pam 25-31, Forms Management, Analysis, and Design
- g. DA Pam 25-40, Army Publishing: Action Officers Guide

The proponent of this regulation is the Chief Information Officer/G-6, U.S. Army Materiel Command. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements on DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) to the Commander, HQ AMC, ATTN: AMCIO-R, 9301 Chapek Road, Fort Belvoir, VA 22060-5527.

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WILLIAM E. MORTENSEN
Lieutenant General, USA
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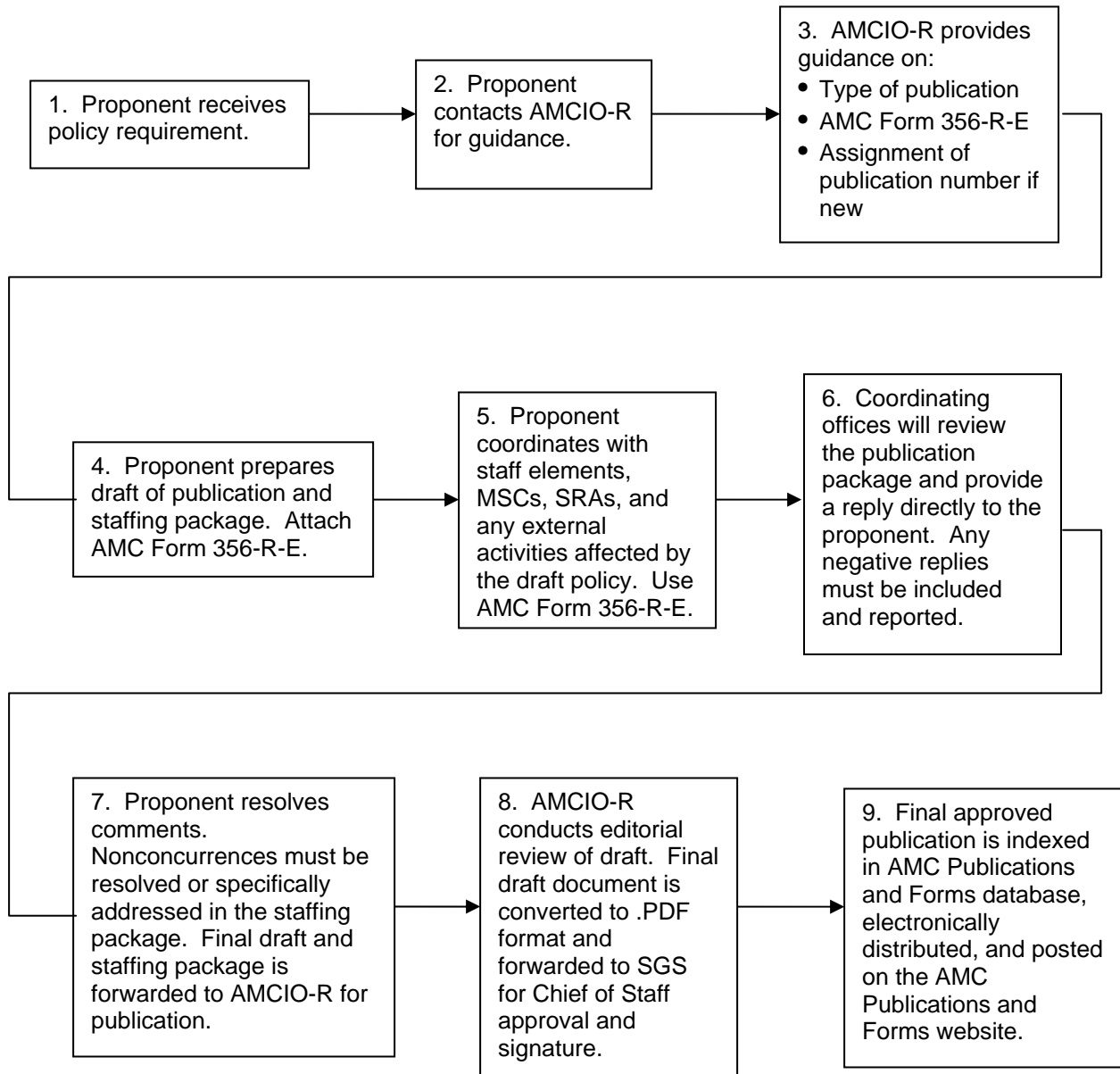
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APPENDIX B

AMC Publications Process Flow



APPENDIX C
Sample formats for AMC Publications

AMC Regulation 50-1

Chemical and Biological Surety Materiel:

**AMC Surety Management
Reviews and Emergency
Response Exercise
Evaluations**

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SUMMARY of CHANGE

AMC-R 25-22
Information Assurance

This regulation --

- **Is a new issuance.**
- **Supersedes:**
 - **AMC Regulation No.25-1, Electronic Mail, 12 May 1998.**
 - **AMC Supplement 1, 380-19 (Information Assurance)**
 - **AMCIO-A (380-19a) Policy Memorandum #01-10, Loading of Unauthorized Software on Government Owned Computers, 21 December 2001.**
 - **AMCIO-A (380-19a) Memorandum, Army Materiel Command (AMC) Information Assurance (IA) Training Guidance, 26 February 2002.**
 - **AMCIO-F (380-19a) Policy Memorandum #98-04, U.S. Army Materiel Command (AMC) Policy on Command and Control Protect (C2P) Tools Kit.**
 - **AMCIO-A (380-19a) Memorandum, Accountability for the Army Materiel Command (AMC) Information Assurance Program (IAP), 9 October 2001.**
 - **AMCIP-P Memorandum, Foreign National Access to AMC Automated Information systems (AIS), 13 May 2003.**
 - **AMCIO-P Memorandum, Army Websites Hosted on Commercial Internet Service Providers (ISP), 30 June 2003.**
 - **AMC Memorandum 380-22, US Army Materiel Command (AMC) Policy on Computer Security Incident Reporting**
 - **AMC Memorandum 380-12, US Army Materiel Command (AMC) Policy on Firewalls and Firewall Configuration, 15 August 2002.**
 - **AMCIO e-mail 12/15/99, ICQ (I SEEK YOU).**
- **Provides detailed guidance regarding general information assurance (IA), IA funding, IA training, public key infrastructure and biometrics.**
- **Provides information on Army approved IA tools, firewalls and other hardware, as well as firmware and software mechanisms and devices.**
- **Provides guidance regarding foreign national access to AMC information systems.**
- **Provides guidance regarding contract performance on IA initiatives and for enforcing compliance with government policy.**

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9 January 2004

Chemical and Biological Surety Materiel

AMC SURETY MANAGEMENT REVIEWS AND
EMERGENCY RESPONSE EXERCISE EVALUATIONS

Title

Supplementation of this regulation is prohibited unless prior approval is obtained from the proponent.

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1. **Purpose.** This regulation establishes command policy, responsibilities, and procedures for the Headquarters, U.S. Army Materiel Command (HQ AMC) Surety Management Review (SMR) program, and for HQ AMC evaluation of surety emergency response exercises.

2. **Applicability.** This regulation applies to all AMC organizations and activities with surety program management responsibilities.

3. **Policy.**

- a. Command policy.

(1) The SMR program is an integral part of the HQ AMC surety program mandated by the Department of Army. The SMR program serves to monitor chemical and biological surety

*This regulation supersedes AMC-R 50-1, 1 June 1992.

Supersession notice

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AMC PAMPHLET
NO. 25-36

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Information Management

OBTAINING A HEADQUARTERS ARMY MATERIEL COMMAND
LOCAL AREA NETWORK ACCOUNT AND WORKSTATION

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1. **Purpose.** This Pamphlet will provide written guidance, define responsibilities, and document the steps required to facilitate obtaining a Headquarters, U.S. Army Materiel Command (HQ AMC) Workstation, and Local Area Network (LAN) Account.

2. **Scope.** This pamphlet has been developed to support HQ AMC personnel, to include Department of the Army Federal Employees, United States Military Personnel, HQ AMC Interns, HQ AMC Contractors and Foreign Representatives, working at the Army Materiel Command Headquarters facility located on Fort Belvoir, Virginia. At the time of publication, the DOIM personnel (DOIM COTR, DOIM IAM) are occupying the positions as identified.

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AMC Supplement 1
to AR 71-32

24 March 2000

Military Publications

Force Development and Documentation – Consolidated Policies

The Commander, AMC Installations and Services Activity (AMC I&SA), ATTN: AMXEN, Rock Island, IL 61299-7190, prohibits local supplementation of this regulation without prior approval.

AR 71-32, 3 Mar 97, the supplement is as follows:

Page 1, paragraph 1-1, Purpose. Add subparagraph c.

c. This supplement assigns responsibilities and prescribes policies and procedures for installations and activities within HQ AMC

Page 11, paragraph 2-38, Common table of allowance (CTA) functional proponents. Add subparagraph e.

e. The Commander, AMC & ISA, is responsible for the review of all Common Tables of Allowances (CTA) areas of interest for AMC activities.

Page 22, paragraph 6-18, Installation TDA. Add subparagraph c.

c. Document all equipment, controlled and noncontrolled in SB 700-20, in section III, TDA and request controlled equipment DA Form 4610-R, IAW paragraph E-3, basic regulation. This includes all Major Army Command (MACOM) approved (MAPP) and Base-Level Commercial Equipment (BCE) items.

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*This supplement supersedes AMC Supplement 1, 10 Mar 92, to AR 71-13, 3 Jun 88.

C-5. SAMPLE – AMC Supplement to an
Army Regulation

(Insert AMC Letterhead)

AMC Policy Memo 380-24
Expires: 30 January 2006

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30 January 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Common Access Card (CAC)/Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) Guidance for the Use of Digital Signature and Encryption

1. References:

a. Draft Department of Defense Instruction (DoDI) 8520.aa, ASD (NII), Jul 03, subject: PKI and Public Key (PK)-Enabling.

b. Memorandum, NETCOM, NETC-EST-A, 2 Sep 03, subject: Army PKI Usage Guidance for Encryption and Digital Signing of e-mail Messages.

c. Memorandum, NETCOM, NETC-EST-A, 3 Jul 03, subject: CAC/PKI Implementation.

2. In anticipation of the release of DoDI 8520.aa (1a, above), the Department of the Army has eliminated the mandate requiring digital signature for all e-mail exchanged within the DOD and has issued revised PKI Usage Guidance (1b, above). The revised policy supersedes the Joint CAC/PKI Memorandum (1c, above), as well as all previous DOD policy mandating the wholesale use of digital signatures. In accordance with 1a and 1b, above, this memorandum provides AMC guidance on the use of CAC to digitally sign and/or encrypt e-mail messages.

3. A digital signature provides signer authentication, message integrity, and non-repudiation. E-mail encryption insures confidentiality of information while it is in transit. Per 1b, above, digital signatures should be used whenever e-mail is considered official business and/or Sensitive Information. In accordance with 1b, above, e-mail also should be encrypted when it is necessary to ensure the confidentiality of information that is sensitive but unclassified; protected by the Privacy Act, or protected under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). General Officers and Senior Executive Service personnel are not specifically addressed in the new PKI Usage Guidance. Their requirements remain unchanged. Additional instruction for sending, receiving, and retaining digitally signed and/or encrypted e-mail is provided in 1b, above and is found at the Secure Electronic Transactions – Devices CAC/PKI website (<https://setdweb.setd.army.mil>)

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Figure C-6. SAMPLE - AMC Policy Memorandum

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Command Policy Letter – Army Materiel Command (AMC) Technical Library Consortium

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1. **References.**

- a. AR 735-17, 18 Jul 2003, Accounting for Library Materiel's.
- b. AR 25-97, Army Library Program

2. **Purpose.** The AMC Technical Library Consortium will:

- a. Review all Technical Library information content purchases for common requirements within AMC. These reviews will help us leverage AMC's purchasing power in negotiating required technical information products and other supporting research materials through consortia purchases and enterprise-wide technical solutions.
- b. Decide which products or services meet the criteria for leveraged purchase and initiate procurement through the Command Librarian.
- c. Establish metrics and procedures to track cost avoidance and ensure proper accounting of AMC Library materiel In Accordance With (IAW) applicable Army Regulations.
- d. Actively search out and establish library property accounts IAW paragraph 2-2b, AR 735-17 for all AMC activities, which although not officially designed as a technical library, are performing technical library functions. These activities will be incorporated into the AMC technical library consortium.

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Figure C-7. SAMPLE – Command Policy Letter

APPENDIX D

Publication Types and their Uses

Medium	Type	Contains	Applies	Effective	Authentication
Regulations	Directive	Policies, responsibilities, and administrative procedures related to subjects not contained in ARs' limited to a single subject	Throughout the command	Remain in effect until superseded or rescinded	Chief of Staff
Circulars	Directive or informational	Transitory material that needs to be published only once; limited to a single subject	Throughout the command	For only 2 years or fewer	Chief of Staff
Pamphlets	Information, guidance, or reference	Material of a continuing nature	Throughout the command	Remain in effect until superseded or rescinded	Chief of Staff
Memorandums	Directive or information	Directive - Policies, responsibilities, and mandatory procedures of a continuing nature; limited to a single subject as a temporary means to issue policy. Informational - Large number of announcements of personnel assignments	Directive - applies only to the headquarters organizations of the issuing element. Informational - When no change of action is involved	Remain in effect until superseded or rescinded	Chief of Staff
Supplements	Directive	Policies, responsibilities, and administrative procedures required to implement Ares or higher command regulations	Throughout the command	Remain in effect until superseded or rescinded. Rescinded automatically upon revision of AR.	Chief of Staff
Command Policy Letters	Directive or Informational	Directive - Policies, responsibilities, and mandatory procedures of a continuing nature; limited to a single subject as a temporary means to issue policy.	Throughout the command	Remain in effect until superseded or rescinded. Rescinded automatically upon revision of AR.	Commanding General, Deputy Commanding General, Chief of Staff, or Command Sergeant Major
AMC Policy Memorandums	Directive or informational	Policies, responsibilities, and administrative procedures related to subjects not contained in ARs' limited to a single subject	Throughout the command	Issued (1) for a period not to exceed two years, (2) until such time an in-depth regulation is established, (3) or, until the policy memorandum is included in a supplement to an Army regulation or an existing AMC regulation.	G-Staff Deputy Chief of Staff, Chiefs other AMC Organizational Elements